

A Message from the Forest

Welcome to the Siuslaw National Forest's Annual Report. To many of you, this is a new publication, one I am pleased to share.

The Siuslaw National Forest fills two significant niches in the Oregon Coast Range; ecosystem restoration and recreation. We are unwavering in our commitment to excellence in these two arenas and are proud of our tradition of leadership in the Pacific Northwest Region.

Some of our accomplishments in 2002 include collaborating with partners to bring community involvement and supplemental funding to the Forest, providing support to Payments to Counties and our Resource Advisory Committee, producing "Coasting" a recreation visitor guide along Highway 101, and finding ways to bring jobs into the community.

Take a look at our figures. In many cases we not only met our targets, but also exceeded them. Fire, engineering and other support programs are the foundation for getting much of our work done. I encourage you to look at the Siuslaw's Restoration Business Plan for more details about planned work. You can expect to see a similar Business Plan next year focusing on Recreation.

You can stay in touch with this year's work through our Forest web site at www.fs.fed.us/r6/siuslaw. We are in the process of revamping the web site so stay tuned for an improved, corporate look.

Thank you to all our partners and I invite you to join us.



GLORIA BROWN
Forest Supervisor

Expenditures, Receipts, Goods and Services

Program Year 10/1/01 TO 9/30/02

*Goods and Services Provided by the
Siuslaw National Forest*

FY 2002 BUDGET & EXPENDITURES

Final Budget	\$23,140,000
Expenditures	\$23,131,000

NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Forest Products

MMbf* Timber offered	3.1
MMbf* Timber Cut	7.4
MMbf* Alternative Volume	24

*Million Board Feet

Acres Reforested	1,941
Timber Stand Improvement (acres)	2,764
Christmas Trees Harvested	755
Firewood (cords)	1,627

Soil/ Water/ Wildlife/ Fish/ Botany

Wildlife Habitat Improvement (acres)	1,515
Acres Soil/Watershed Improvement	110
Stream Inventory (miles)	21
Anadromous Stream Restoration (miles)	23
Noxious Weed Treatment (acres)	1,925

RECREATION, LANDS & MINERALS

Recreation Site Capacity (people per year)	3,341,000
Trails Reconstruction (miles)	2
Trails Construction (miles)	
Trails Available (miles)	
Wilderness Managed (acres)	25,500
Recreation Special-Use Permits	23
Passport in Time Projects	2
Heritage Expeditions	1
Campground Receipts	\$728,400
Oregon Pacific Coast Passport Receipts	\$424,200
Northwest Forest Pass Receipts	\$518,400
Leveraged Funds (from partnerships)	\$200,000

FIRE & ENGINEERING

Wildfires (acres)	5
Fire Hazard Reduction (acres)	300
Person-Days Fire Support	2,471
Number of Fires	3
Roads Decommissioned (miles)	15
Roads Constructed (miles)	0
Roads Reconstructed (miles)	3
Total High Clearance Roads (miles)	1,620
Total Passenger Car Roads (miles)	324
Total Closed Roads (miles)	329

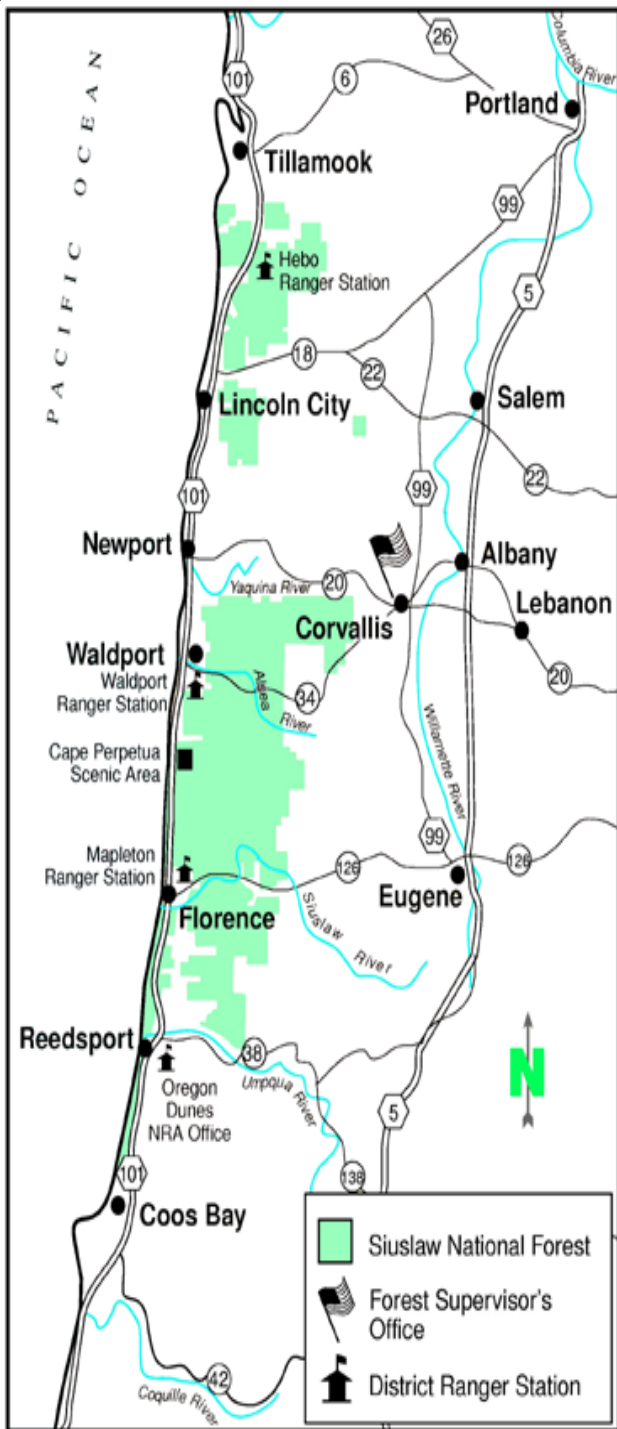
PAYMENTS TO COUNTIES (Public Law 106.393)

FY 2002 RECEIPTS

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TITLE I</u>	<u>TITLE II</u>	<u>TITLE III</u>
Benton	\$400,474	0	\$70,672
Coos	\$120,485	\$82,638	\$5,741
Douglas	\$1,228,515	\$147,422	\$69,375
Lane	\$4,758,848	\$594,856	\$594,856
Lincoln	\$4,215,701	\$371,974	\$371,974
Polk	\$9,218	0	0
Tillamook	\$2,253,454	\$266,438	\$131,231
Yamhill	\$625,467	0	\$110,376
TOTAL	\$13,612,162	\$1,463,328	\$1,354,225

FOREST FACTS

Number of Permanent Employees	165
Acres	630,000
Elevation:	Lowest
	Highest
Length	135 miles
Width	27 miles
Natural Lakes	30
Anadromous Streams	1200 miles
Wildlife:	
Amphibians and Reptiles	26 species
Birds	235 species
Fishes	Over 200 species
Mammals	69 species



For More Information

Siuslaw National Forest

<http://fs.fed.us/r6/siuslaw/>

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*View from the West Shelter
at Cape Perpetua.*



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